

BEFORE THE

Federal Communications Commission

In the Matter of

Implementation of Short-term Analog Flash and
Emergency Readiness Act; Establishment of DTV
Transition "Analog Nightlight" Program

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MB Docket No. 08-255

To: The Commission

REPLY COMMENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA

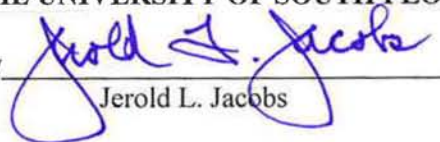
THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA ("USF"), licensee of NCE Station WUSF-TV, Tampa, Florida, by its attorneys and in response to the *Notice of Proposed Rule Making* ("NPRM"), FCC 08-281, released December 24, 2008, in the above-captioned proceeding, hereby indicates WUSF-TV's intention to participate in the "analog nightlight" program on behalf of the entire Tampa-St. Petersburg, Florida DMA (#132).

Station WUSF-DT was not included in the NPRM's Appendix A list of pre-approved stations, and, therefore, in accordance with Paragraph 20 of the NPRM, on or about January 12, 2009 USF will submit, via CDBS, an Engineering STA notification regarding its proposed participation. That STA notification will include an engineering statement demonstrating WUSF's eligibility to participate in the program.

Respectfully submitted,

THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA

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